

STATISTICS FROM THE CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE (5-YEAR CYCLE)

FARMS	2002	1997	1992	1987
NUMBER	428	498	466	495
ACREAGE	608,928	681,687	686,876	729,023
AVERAGE SIZE (ACRES)	1,423	1,369	1,474	1,473
MEDIAN SIZE (ACRES)	400	341	N	N
AVERAGE ESTIMATED MARKET VALUE PER FARM (\$)				
LAND & BUILDINGS	956,616	1,055,148	898,320	851,483
MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT	101,726	109,538	76,896	65,654
CROPLAND (ACRES)				
TOTAL	181,845	183,327	198,710	196,306
HARVESTED	107,969	117,505	101,446	108,517
IRRIGATED	129,373	159,219	140,168	145,907
MARKET VALUE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD				
COUNTY TOTAL VALUE (\$1,000)	52,535	65,676	58,728	45,633
AVERAGE PER FARM (\$)	122,746	131,879	126,026	92,188
NET CASH SALES RETURN PER FARM				
AVERAGE (\$)	7,903	25,566	20,246	17,703
LIVESTOCK (INVENTORY)				
CATTLE & CALVES	75,193	96,536	92,986	84,872
BEEF COWS	41,564	48,219	45,836	45,254
MILK COWS	14	144	116	63
HOGS & PIGS	43	106	779	1,390
SHEEP & LAMBS	7,055	10,480	14,338	13,332
LAYERS (20 WEEKS OR OLDER)	359	D	620	878
BROILER & CHICKEN (SOLD)	D	D	0	0
COMMODITY HARVESTED (ACRES)				
CORN, GRAIN OR SEED	N	N	N	N
CORN, SILAGE OR GREENCHOP	N	N	N	N
SORGHUM, GRAIN OR SEED	N	N	N	N
WHEAT	3,763	3,583	2,344	3,433
BARLEY	9,830	12,772	12,612	13,089
OATS	750	N	N	N
RICE	0	0	0	0
SUNFLOWER SEED	N	N	N	N
COTTON	0	0	0	0
TOBACCO	N	N	N	N
SOYBEANS	N	N	N	N
DRY EDIBLE BEANS, EXCL. LIMAS	N	N	N	N
POTATOES EXCL. SWEET POTATOES	2,966	N	N	N
SUGARBEETS FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
SUGARCANE FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
PEANUTS FOR NUTS	N	N	N	N
FORAGE LAND (ALFALFA, HAY,) 1/	83,380	87,119	75,509	83,604

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VEGETABLES FOR SALE				
NUMBER OF FARMS	11	12	14	16
ACREAGE	2,000	2,557	1,344	1,520
ORCHARDS				
NUMBER OF FARMS	N/A	5	5	11
ACREAGE	N/A	57	33	46
PRIMARY OPERATOR'S OCCUPATION (NUMBER)				
FARMING	296	285	326	327
NON-FARMING	132	101	109	127
GOVERNMENT PAYMENT PROGRAM PARTICIPATION				
NUMBER OF FARMS	148	N/A	N/A	N/A
PERCENT OF TOTAL	34.58%	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTAL PAYMENTS RECEIVED (\$1,000)	1,219	695	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE PAYMENT RECEIVED PER FARM (\$)	8,237	5,944	N/A	N/A

1/ AREA COUNTED ONLY ONCE (ALL HAY, ALFALFA, SMALL GRAIN, GRASS SILAGE, GREENCHOP).

N - REPRESENTS ZERO.

0 - REPRESENTS AN INSIGNIFICANT AMOUNT.

D - WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSING DATA FOR INDIVIDUAL FARMS.

Z - LESS THAN HALF OF THE UNIT SHOWN

SOURCE: USDA, NASS, 2002 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE.